

We Don't Want To Scare You

But we feel we should hand on to you, the information received by us this morning regarding the ever-increasing shortage of clothing supplies. Our agents inform us that goods will be at least 33 per cent higher in the spring and even at that will be tremendously hard to secure, as it is next to impossible to get labor or material. Nevertheless we are selling our suits to-day at old prices and we know you cannot buy as well in any city as you can right here in your own home town men's store.

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Elevator Companies Overcharge Farmers For Freight

A beautiful example of daylight robbery is being exhibited at every elevator in the province this year.

From the opening of the season for shipping grain there has been an embargo upon wheat which does not allow of it being shipped further than Calgary or Medicine Hat.

This in itself does not interest the farmer very much but the detail of freight charges in connection with the shipments does, especially when the elevators are charging the full rate to Fort William.

We have made careful enquiries into the matter and we find that this overcharge goes into the pockets of the elevator companies, for the C.P.R. only charge the rate to Medicine Hat via 10 cents per hundred lbs. Of course the elevator companies allow is that when the embargo is raised the wheat will be shipped to Fort William, which is a very ingenious excuse, but does not account for the amount of grain which is supplied to the flour mills at Medicine Hat and Calgary.

This pretty little graft has been practiced for years and it is calculated that millions of dollars which should have helped to pay the hired man of the farmer, has gone to swell the profits of the tired man who holds shares in the elevator companies, and whose greatest attraction in life is dodging the income tax commissioners.

Surely the government will not stand for this wholesale robbery of the farmer any longer, for today, with the aid of the embargo, the elevator companies are caught with the goods.

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Anglican Church Reopens Sunday

The Rev. D. L. Greene, permanent minister to the Anglican community at Bassano and Brooks will conduct his first services on Sunday next November 9th, being at Bassano for the morning service at 11 a.m. and at Brooks for the evening service.

Mr. Greene, who will take up his residence at Brooks Rectory, was formerly rector of Lethbridge, Sask., in the Quappelle Diocese, and we understand that he will devote considerable time to this end of his district.

The attendance of every member of the church is earnestly requested, and it is hoped that many who are not affiliated with any church will also be present to welcome the new minister.

A LUCKY ESCAPE

An outbreak of fire, which might have had very serious results, but which, happily, by the prompt efforts of the firemen and the willing assistance of a number of citizens was confined to the roof of building in which it originated, occurred on Wednesday morning at the Peoples' Market.

The fire was caused by a defective chimney in the small office of the store and was first noticed by Mrs. Breslin, who promptly caused the alarm to be given and in a very short time the firemen were on the scene with the small hose wagon, quickly had two streams playing on the fire and inside of 10 minutes had the blaze extinguished. Very little damage was done to the building and the stock was practically unharmed, but it might easily have developed into a serious case if it had not been checked so promptly.

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British Government May Not Resign

London.—The country is suddenly faced with the possibility of the resignation of the government, or the dissolution of parliament, owing to the quite unexpected defeat of the government in the House of Commons by a majority of 72. Only about half the members were present, and the vote by which the government was defeated was 185 to 113.

The Allen Bill, the earlier stages of which were disposed of during the summer session, was in the report stage. The committee had previously inserted an amendment withholding pilotage certificates from all alien, and the government sought by amendment to modify this restriction in favor mainly of a number of French pilots, for whom special provision had been made in the existing Pilotage Act. This amendment, however, was defeated, although in charge of government whips.

The announcement of the figures was greeted with loud cheers from the opposition parties, and caused much excitement. Andrew Bonar Law immediately moved an amendment to enable the government to consider what course it should adopt. He admitted that the defeat was an amendment with government whips was a serious matter requiring consideration, but he declined to admit that it necessarily implied the resignation of the ministry. This, he declared, would depend upon the view of the House of Commons as a whole.

Opinions on the situation, as expressed in the lobbies, are conflicting, but, in view of the small attendance in the house it is thought that the government may decide not to resign.

French Ex-Prime Minister Be Tried January

Caillaux Will Be Charged With Intrigue to Bring About Dis-honorable Peace

Paris.—Joseph Caillaux, former Premier of France, on January 11 next is to face his accusers on a charge of intrigue to bring about a premature and dishonorable peace with Germany.

This was decided by the senate, sitting as a high court. The decision to set the trial in January was reached by a vote of 89 to 67.

The high court decided to accede to Caillaux's request for provisional liberty during the campaign for the chamber of deputies election, the vote on this question being 100 to 36.

He has announced his intention for deputy for the department of Sarthe.

Curzon and Balfour Change Portfolios

London.—It is officially announced that Eric Curzon has been appointed Foreign Secretary in place of Arthur J. Balfour. Mr. Balfour has been appointed Lord President of the Council to succeed Eric Curzon.

London.—According to official advisers, the Estonians captured 500 prisoners, three guns and much material in the Pskov and Ostrov region.

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The Kaiser's Telegram

Declared Breach With America Could Not Be Prevented and Could Not Be Helped

Berlin.—President Wilson's peace offer was a matter of little concern to the German Emperor, according to the evidence presented before the subcommittee investigating the war. Furthermore, the intervention of the United States apparently was not seriously considered by the emperor.

The incident caused a sensation and occurred during the examination of Count von Bernstorff, former German ambassador at Washington. The Socialist deputy, Dr. Sinsheimer, turned toward von Bernstorff and said:

"The Kaiser's telegram, to which you refer, dated January 16, 1917, addressed to Herr Zimmermann, foreign secretary, says:

"His majesty instructs me to thank you for your communication. The Kaiser has not said a bit about President Wilson's offer. A breach with America cannot be prevented. It cannot be helped. Events are developing."

"There was much excitement at the hearing when this message was read. Dr. Sinsheimer whispered 'vire-chancellor' and Dr. Sinsheimer maintained that the peace conditions sent to President Wilson on January 28, 1917, which were said to be the same as Germany offered on December 31, 1916, were really nothing like them. Everyone present appeared astonished at this statement, and Count von Bernstorff exclaimed excitedly:

"Then I am told this today for the first time."

End of Bolshevism

Position of Volunteer Army, Despite Few Failures Said to Be Brilliant

London.—A wireless message sent by General Denikin, anti-Bolshevik leader in South Russia, contains a message from Gen. Skhuro, which says:

"The position of the volunteer army is brilliant. It is quite clear the end of Bolshevism is at hand."

The wireless dispatch added the Reds began hastily to fortify the suburbs of Tula, when at a meeting Leon Trotsky, Bolshevik minister of war, declared that a general battle must be fought outside of the town.

Reduction of Farm Hours Opposed

London.—The central and associated chambers of agriculture have adopted a resolution warning the government that any reduction of the hours of the agricultural workers would seriously limit the increase in food growing, increasing the cost of living and diminish employment on the land.

German-Austria Title Abolished

Vienna.—The National Assembly adopted a resolution abolishing the title "German-Austria" for the nation and substituting the title "Republic of Austria." The Pan-German party offered violent opposition to the change.

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Newspaper Changes In U. S. Probable

Serious Newspaper Shortage Must Result in Drastic Conservation Policies

New York.—S. S. Carvalho, one of the foremost newspaper publishers in the United States, in an interview to "Editor and Publisher" predicts that the serious newspaper shortage and the consequent advance in price must result in drastic conservation policies if the newspaper publishing business is to continue on a sound business basis, and hundreds of newspapers are to be saved from suspension. Increased subscription rates, higher advertising rates and smaller newspapers are, in Mr. Carvalho's opinion, inevitable if publishers are going to meet even part way the increased cost of production as represented by the enormous advance in wages, newspaper, machinery and other commodities, and services necessary to the production of a newspaper.

Evacuation of Two Big Towns Ordered

Col. Ayvaloff-Bermond Declares He Has Offered an Armistice to the Letts

Berlin.—The British naval commander at Riga, Estonia, has sent a demand to Col. Ayvaloff-Bermond to evacuate Uti, Drivink (Dumond) and Tsi-Tsi.

Col. Ayvaloff-Bermond, in reply said that after successfully defeating a strategic offensive of the Letts against the Bolsheviks, he had offered an armistice to the Letts October 10.

He requested that his endeavors to obtain an armistice should be supported.

Britain Supplied War Material to Russians

Tremendous Number of Guns and Ammunition Has Been

London.—General Knox, chief of the British military mission, in a statement to the British Telegraph Agency at Omsk, says:

"Great Britain has furnished the British and General Denikin with great quantities of munitions, hundreds of thousands of rifles, hundreds of thousands of machine guns, as well as several hundred thousand sets of uniforms and equipments. Each cartridge fired this year by Russian soldiers was made in England, by English material and by English workers, the supplies being shipped to Russia on English steamers."

Occupation Plans Outlined by Foch

Transportation of Allied Troops Will Be Completed By November

Paris.—Marshal Foch appeared before the supreme council to outline the preparations for the military occupation of the German empire according to the peace treaty, pledges will be held, and other military measures involved in the coming into effect of the treaty. There is reason to believe that the concentration and transportation of allied troops which is to occupy the areas will be ended by the beginning of November, so that the treaty could then be put into effect.

Hun Soldiers to Face Trial

Paris.—The first two members of the German military forces charged with crimes during the German occupation of France have arrived at Lille, to stand trial. They are a non-commissioned officer named Strauss and Lieut. von Linden, charged with theft and other offences at Halluin and Roubaix respectively. They are being held in the Lille citadel pending trial.

Oppose State Purchase of Liquor

London.—Addressing the gathering of the United Kingdom Alliance, perhaps the most influential prohibition association here, President Lieut. Henderson, a former statesman who brought a measure for the nationalization of the drink traffic before last year's parliament, said he would not last a fortnight. A large number of delegates to the purchase encountered much opposition. "Fussy-foot" Johnson addressed the meeting.

Riots Renewed in New York

New York.—Rioting broke out again Sunday in Lexington, Mass., when for the second time in a week the Star Opera company produced German opera over the protest of veterans of the world war.

Mennonites Must Comply With Law

No Deviation From Enforcing School Attendance Act

Winnipeg.—There will be no deviation from the rule of enforcing the School Attendance Act in Manitoba, and Mennonites, like other sections of the community, will now be compelled by the law. Dr. Thornton, minister of education, told a delegation of Mennonites which requested the government to postpone enforcement.

The visit was the result of developments in the municipality of Hanover, Man., following legislation enacted at the last session of the legislature.

Previously Hanover had no public schools, but the government has mapped out the whole district into public school areas and two schools are already in operation and two others nearing completion.

Committee on Execution of Treaty

Lord Derby Appointed as Delegate to Represent Great Britain

Paris.—The nominations of various delegates to the committee on interpretation and execution of the German peace treaty were put on record by the supreme council. The nominations registered were:

First—Count Roule-Longare, the ambassador to France, and Signor Pisano.

Second—Stephen Pichon, the foreign minister, and Philippe Berthelet, political director of the foreign office.

Third—Lord Derby, the ambassador to France.

Japan—Baron Matsui, ambassador at Paris.

Sufferings in Russia

Men, Women and Children Are Falling Dead in the Streets From Hunger

Paris.—Pictures of Moscow's hunger are given in the figures by Russian prisoners arriving from Russia. "I will not speak of the terrible starvation and executions that are going on in the streets of Moscow," he said, "but only of the hunger itself. I saw with my own eyes and which were repeated day after day. I met a woman and child, ragged and skin and skeletons, the child crying constantly with an unending expression of terror. The mother said that the child was hungry and asked for a piece of bread as they had not eaten for twenty-four hours. I opened my purse, but the woman turned away saying, 'No, not money, but bread!'"

"Another time I saw a blonde-haired young girl with arms outstretched, leaning like a living crucifix against a wall and crying, 'I am hungry.' Next day she died."

"I have seen children, hardly clothed, hollow-cheeked, and with sunken eyes, on the pavements in the street trying to pick from the paving stones grains of wheat that had fallen from a torn sack. I have seen before hunger-stricken men, women and children stretched on the cold streets, waiting through days and nights for food to save their lives from starvation and then after their exhausted and dying at the door steps before they received it."

British Embassy in Berlin

London.—Walford H. Selby has been appointed provisional representative of the British Government in Berlin. He will open the embassy in Berlin as soon as the peace treaty becomes effective. The Associated Press was officially informed to this effect.

Australian Gratuity

Brisbane, Australia.—Premier Hughes in a speech here announced that the soldiers' gratuity of eight pounds a year would be paid in negotiable bonds carrying 5½ per cent interest. The gratuity would cost the Commonwealth twenty-five million pounds sterling.

Bolsheviks Defeated

London.—The British forces have been fighting back in the Kamishin section, losing 3,000 men, who were taken prisoner, and many machine guns, according to Gen. Denikin's wireless message. "Extremely fierce fighting is reported in that district."

Refuse German Request

Berlin.—The Supreme Council has refused a request from the German government that members of the peace-treaty committee should not wear uniforms after the peace treaty comes into effect.

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Nava Defence For The British Empire

Austrian Constitution Is Amended

Dr. Otto Bauer Chosen Chairman of Commission to Frame New Constitution

Vienna.—The national assembly has eliminated from the constitution adopted recently the provision declaring Austria to be a composite state of Germans. The elimination was determined upon, to meet the terms of the peace treaty.

Dr. Otto Bauer, who last week resigned as minister of socialization, has been chosen chairman of a commission to frame a new constitution for Austria.

Bulgaria Wants Trial Of Ex-Emperor

Demands the Arrest and Trial of King Ferdinand

Geneva.—A dispatch received here from Belgrade says the powerful peasant party in Bulgaria demands the arrest and trial of King Ferdinand, and also of former Premier Radko Dabovitch and Malinoff, as being responsible for the war and leading Bulgaria into misery and the loss of provinces. According to the dispatch, confiscation of all the royal possessions is demanded.

Sir Adam Beck May Retire

Will Not Stay as Chairman Of Hydro-Electric Unless With a Sympathetic Government

Toronto.—Sir Adam Beck, interview said he knew nothing of the discussion of the newspapers concerning his future course. He indicated that it was very doubtful if he would remain as chairman of the hydro-electric commission.

"On no account will I stay, except I am assured of a government that is in full sympathy with and behind the power development and hydro-rail projects," he said. "It would be useless to attempt to go on otherwise."

Delegates from Austria and Germany

Berlin.—The German and Austrian delegates to the conference at Washington, which was held to discuss the terms of the peace treaty, have been notified to send delegates to the Washington Labor Conference, inasmuch as the supreme council of the allies has recommended their attendance as fully qualified members.

The delegates of the two nations previously will leave together for Washington soon.

Ottawa—All Canadian ships sailing to the United States will be obliged to inform the navy of their wireless installation and wireless operators, in order to conform to the regulations of an act passed by the British parliament.

Final Efforts To Avert Miners' Strike

Warships Bombarding Fortress of Kronstadt

French Vessels Reported Active on Front; Are Able to Keep Beyond Range of Fort's Artillery

Copenhagen.—A dispatch from the Politiken from Helsingfors reports that French warships are bombarding Kronstadt. They are able to keep beyond range of the fort's guns, and are continuing to the long range of their guns.

Spanish King to Visit London

King Alfonso Likes English Life and English Sports

London.—The King and Queen of Spain are expected to arrive here for an indefinite visit. The King prefers to play the part of a private individual, rather than that of an official visitor during his London sojourn, and will stay at the Ritz hotel.

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Melbourne.—Admiral Jellicoe's report upon the question of naval defence for the British Empire and her colonies in the Pacific ocean and elsewhere is now before the Australian House.

Lord Jellicoe assumes throughout the report that future danger to the empire and her colonies lies in the Pacific and the Far East. The second dominant note in the report is his insistence of the value of capital ships as the chief weapon. As two Lord Jellicoe's apparent assumption regarding Canada is that she will readily put her share into vessels and their upkeep.

It is probable that the first vessels for both Canada and Australia will be a gift from the British fleet. He recommends that there be an Australian fleet of two battle cruisers, eight light cruisers and 13 destroyers, besides eight submarines and other subsidiary craft. This is based on the conception of an Imperial Pacific sea-going fleet, comprising vessels of the royal navy, the East India fleet, the Indian navy, the Canadian and New Zealand navies. Upon these British would pay 74 per cent, while Australia would contribute 7.75 per cent, Canada 12.3 per cent, and South Africa and New Zealand the balance.

While Canada's percentage is thus fixed at a comparatively high figure, Lord Jellicoe proposes to bring up the charge against Australia and New Zealand by an additional assessment in view of the fact that they are not called upon to pay any share of the cost in the Atlantic, by asking these colonies to bear 25 per cent of the 74 assumed by the British in the Far East.

Bolshevik Destroyers Sunk

Three Hundred and Forty-six Lives Lost During Attack in Gulf of Finland

Stockholm.—Three hundred and forty-six lives were lost when three Bolshevik destroyers, in an attack on Estonian craft and British destroyers in the Gulf of Finland, struck the British battleship, according to official communication.

Four destroyers, fitted for mine-laying, the communication also, were sunk. Kronstadt with the object of supporting a landing of troops.

Wants Russia to Make Peace Offer

London.—Michael Teretshenko, former minister of foreign affairs in Russia who fled to Sweden from the Bolsheviks, has proposed to the state council at Moscow that a peace offer be made to the enemy. He says that, according to a wireless dispatch received here from Berlin. It is reported an official representative of the United States is in Stockholm, willing to submit the offer to the allies.

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Apparently the Board of Trustees of the Hospital District (or at least some members of it) do not require advice or reliable criticism.

This is gathered from suggestions that the board does not require the attendance of the solicitor, and would prefer the absence of the press, at its meetings.

We would imagine that the board's past experience should have taught the lesson that competent advice such as given by the solicitor is absolutely essential, for it must be remembered that the only occasion when the board was subjected to criticism was that when it attempted to read its own interpretation of the Hospital's Act; the consequences of which are still causing the board considerable anxiety.

No gentlemen the more advice (from competent authority) you can obtain, and the more daylight you can let into your meetings the less danger you have of making errors.

It must always be remembered that the ratepayers to whom you are responsible, are entitled to the details of your meetings, and that it is only the cards which are on the table that can win your tricks honestly, and those you carry up your sleeve are liable to cause trouble.

Coincident with the cold snap last week there was also experienced in town a serious shortage of coal and in several instances farmers were caused severe suffering.

This shortage of coal and the inability or unwillingness of the Indians to hew and haul from the mines has opened up the old question of whether it is not possible to persuade the Indian Department to either sell or lease for a long term this valuable property.

Theoretically of course our sympathies are all with the retention by the noble redskin of the land of his forefathers, but when we see the manner in which they are destroying the valuable deposits and their absolute incapacity for working the mines on anything like a business basis we are forced to admit that it would be a blessing to the whole country if the control was taken out of their hands.

It is no time for altruistic reasoning when communities are suffering for want of coal and the noble redskin refuses to work the mines properly or objects to any palatable interference.

As a matter of fact the Indians have only to agree to lease the coal rights absolute of the whole area, and by receiving a royalty on every ton would reap a huge revenue, and at the same time retain the sovereignty of their reserve.

We would suggest that a petition be forwarded to the Department of Indian Affairs, the members of the Federal House for Southern Alberta and also to the Hon. Chas. Mitchell asking for the control of the coal mines to be taken out of the hands of the Indians, of course upon a strictly equitable basis of adjustment.

The good offices of Mr. Gooderham are sure would be obtained to further the proposal for his charges would certainly reap the benefit of the transaction.

There is an old saying which reads—"When pigs run about with straw in their mouths, there's sure to be a storm."

This aptly illustrates the attitude of the daily press of Alberta with regard to the present political situation, for the hogs of the old line parties have smelt the storm rising in far off Ontario and they are seizing feeble straws of argument to plug the worm eaten, rotting fabric of partyism under which they have slept snugly for so many years, in the hope of protecting themselves against the storm which even now threatens to insulate them.

But (to change the metaphor) only drowning men clutch at straws, and when journals like the Herald and the Albertan (to change the metaphor once again) try to draw the red herding of Sovietism across the path of the electors as they did during the recent Cochrane campaign, by their paltry attempt to read Bolshevism into a speech of H. W. Woods, it can plainly be seen that the old line parties are drowning in the deep mire of their own inequities, and in their death struggles are clutching at the most feeble straws to keep their noses above water.

We do not believe that the farmers party of Alberta as a body, agree that the class legislation spoken of by H. W. Woods, is necessarily akin to Soviet government nor do we believe that H. W. Woods had any Bolshevist idea in his mind when he spoke as he did, but we do believe that a change of ideas in legislation is necessary to save this country from Bolshevism and Soviet rule.

The farmers as a class are more likely to prove responsible to the country than the suave, glib eloquent lawyers who at present rule the legislative roost. We trust the day is not far distant when the Dominion will be governed by men who think as they plough and whose contact with the sweet, clean soil enables their hearts and minds to remain clean, and that the men who pay more attention to their hands than their hearts and minds will be flung into the discard.

Elevator Companies.

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A test case should be held and it proved that the companies have unloaded the grain at the mills should be forced to disgorge their loot.

The U.F.A. could well take this matter up for it might prove rather too costly for any individual farmer, and the result, if favorable, would benefit every man who has shipped his grain this year.

The difference between freight rates to Medicine Hat or Calgary and the rate to Fort William would more than pay the interest on a farmer's indebtedness, and in the case of men who ship from 1000 bushels up, the total sum which is now being siphoned from them is well worth while.

Supposing for instance that the elevators at this point between them ship 100,000 bushels of wheat, be the embargo is raised, the net little sum of \$12,000.00 overcharge is made by them.

Can it be wondered, in the face of such methods adopted and, apparently, encouraged, that the farmers throughout the Dominion are preparing to overthrow the present systems of government and institute a new farmers' government?

Of course there are two sides to every question, and if the elevators have any argument other than the one we have anticipated they should be pleased to present it to our readers.

How to take the H.C.L. out of clothes buying for fall

Clothes are higher priced; all of them—good or bad. The poor ones cost about the same as the good ones—not much difference any more.

Here's some good advice; take it from us; don't try to "beat the game," and pay the lowest price; you'll get poor quality; the clothes won't last, and your "High Cost of Clothing" will go for nothing.

Here's the right way; get good quality; pay for it; the wear and service you get saves for you and reduces the H.C.L.

Society Brand Clothes do it; they're made to give wear, satisfaction or your money back.

JACK TORGAN'S STORE

Looking After The Children's Eyes

Several weeks of long Winter evenings are ahead of us. With the use of artificial light, it is a trying time for the eyes of the kiddies.

If slight defects already exist, a yellow, dim, or untidy light will greatly aggravate the situation.

Inflamed lids, styes, headache and watery eyes are almost sure indications of some sort of eye trouble.

The safest way is to have the kiddies come in, during the holidays or on Saturdays to have their eyes examined. It only takes a short time to make sure, and it is always better to be safe than sorry.

Why not make an appointment to-day for next Saturday?

POWERS' OPTICAL & JEWELRY CO.

Permanent Address: BASSANO, ALBERTA

Notes on The Fire

What was wrong with the hydrant at Flanagan's corner? Precious minutes were lost trying to uncover the cap.

It was lucky that more hose was not nearby, or somebody would have been severely censured for leaving the hydrant in the condition it is.

We advise our readers to study the Fire Bell Code which is printed this week.

Many of our country friends thought it was a display to advertise Victory Bonds.

President Trepanier of the Peoples' Magazine says that Bassano, Alberta, is a city of the future.

Who found the bottle anyway? Secretary Carnegie played a great one on the old bell, but he had the resources to find it.

Anyhow we expect there will be a great rush for new store pipes and fire extinguishers now.

Once again has Bassano's water system justified itself and the fire protection saved the town from serious damage.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Lazenby desires to thank those kind friends who subscribed to the wedding of Mrs. Nicholas Zolotarev, whose husband's mind became deranged, and who was recently removed to France. The subscription amounted to \$46.50 which was expended for 2 tons of coal, and provisions for the immediate needs of the family.

FOR SALE

Good house with 10 rooms, 1000 sq. ft. lot, 1000 sq. ft. lot, 1000 sq. ft. lot.

During the past month or so, F. D. Williamson has sold upwards of 80 head of choice dairy cattle to farmers in the Counties and Rosemary districts, all of which have been sold under the terms of the Cow Bill.

Those farmers who have taken advantage of the governments offer are to be congratulated upon their foresight and business acumen in realizing that the greatest development of their land lies in the intensive farming of a small holding rather than extensive speculation in straight grain growing.

It would pay more of our farmers to take advantage of the government's offer through the Cow Bill.

FOR SALE

Iron Bedstead \$3.00, Green Separator \$12.00, Oil stove (2 burner) and several cooking utensils \$10.00. Call before Monday, November 10th at Burdick House, 4th Street.

FIRE ALARM CALLS

Ward 1 (West of 4th St. and south of 4th Ave.)—Fire bells, pause, then five more, etc.

Ward 2 (West of Fourth St. and north of Fourth Ave.)—Six bells.

Ward 3 (East of Fourth St. and south of 4th Ave.)—seven bells.

Ward 4 (East of Fourth St. and north of Fourth Ave.)—Eight bells.

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Meets First Tuesday of Each month.
Visiting Brethren always welcome.
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Day and Night Calls Promptly
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Corner 8th Avenue and 5th Street
Services every week as advertised.
Sunday School 8.00 a.m.

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Services—7:30 p.m.
Sunday School at 10:30 a.m.
Rev. T. S. PATON.

REWARD
Will be paid for return of following
brands:

■ horse right thigh,
TV cattle right shoulder,
CS cattle left rib,
■ cattle left ribs,
DS horse right thigh.

C. E. DOWDY,
Malvern P.O.

FOR SALE, FEED

About 150 tons hulled wheat in stock,
cut in dough. Also wheat straw from
200 acres. 50 tons more feed can be
bought ½ mile away. Good well on
place and a good man to look after
same. Land 2 miles west of Mackenzie.
R. P. ROBINSON,
Box 204, Bassano.

FOR SALE

Pure Bred B.O. White Leghorn
Chickens.
SMITH'S MILKWAY FARM
Bassano, Alta.

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Good Grade Holstein Milk Cows.
SMITH'S MILKWAY FARM
Bassano, Alta.

FOR SALE

Pedigree Jersey Bull, two weeks old.
Twenty-five Dollars if taken at once.
Bulls for breeding Stallions from \$200.
D. L. BERRY,
Box 200, Bassano.

TOWN COUNCIL

Owing to the Mayor's absence
the meeting of Council held on
Monday was presided over by Dep.
Mayor Shervill.

Before proceeding to the regular
order of business it was resolved to
record the sympathy of the Council
and community with the Mayor
and Mrs. Bredin in their bereave-
ment through the death of the
Mayor's brother.

Among the usual raft of com-
munications were two notices from
David Edmon of Calgary advising
the Council that he had received an
order from the Judge in Chambers
authorizing the cancellation of
Plans 5290 A.B. and 8045 A.B.

The Secretary was instructed to
take up the matter with the Public
Utilities Commission, the Dep-
-uties of Public Works and the
Dep.-Minister of Municipal Affairs,
and to request the town's subscribers
to report on the action that would
be necessary to prevent cancellation
of said plans.

Deputy Engineer, etc., Edmon re-
quested the Council's earnest con-
sideration of his petition for re-
imbursement for extra work in con-
nection with keeping the reservoir
warm during the winter months.
In view of the magnitude of the
undertaking the Council decided to
reward Edmon with an extra five
spot while such extra work was
necessary.

Letter from Jamieson, Houston
and Bohmer, Bassano, to Messrs.
Henshaw and Roberts, Bassano re
contract for operation of Buckskin
Mine.

The Council recommended the
offer of the former outfit for the
operation of the mine and the
Secretary was instructed to take
steps to have the mine immediately
in operation.

The terms of the contract are
that the firm take all responsibility,
pay royalty, etc., and supply coal at
\$3.50 per ton at the mine.

Inquiries were made with regard
to the supplying of hose and water
for testing the new tanks of the
Imperial Oil Co., and the F. L. &
P. committee was requested to in-
vestigate this matter and report at
next meeting.

The W. W. Committee recom-
mended that for the purpose of ex-
periment an arrangement be made
with the Electric Light Co., for a
period of six months for power for
two hours pumping each afternoon
at a cost of \$20.00 per month.
This arrangement to be terminable
by a month's notice.

STRAYED

Suitable reward will be paid for the
return or information leading to the re-
turn of any or all of the horses as below:
Commence with A. Griffin, prop.
C.P.R., D.N.R., Brooks.

1 White Gelding, branded $\frac{1}{2}$ right hip,
A right shoulder, about 1200 lbs.
1 Bay Gelding, branded $\frac{1}{2}$ right hip,
A right shoulder, about 1200 lbs. Lost
in Bow River vicinity.
-E18 Bay Gelding, branded CC left
shoulder, age 12 years, about 1250 lbs.
-E61 Grey Gelding, branded E right
jaw, IC left shoulder, 6 yrs. old; about
1300 lbs.

-E119 Bay Gelding, both hind corners
white, both fore legs black, branded C
left shoulder, IC left shoulder, 8 years
old, about 1250 lbs. Lost 1916 from
Janssboro District.

-E217 Brown Gelding, branded IC left
shoulder, 7 years old, about 1400 lbs.
Lost this year in vicinity of Lacombe.

Iron Grey Mare, branded A right
shoulder, about 1250 lbs., 4 years old,
lost somewhere between Cassie and
Lacombe.

Dark Bay Mare, 4 years old, one white
foot, very little mane, or forelegs, about
1400 lbs., weight 1100 lbs., no brand. Lost
September from vicinity of St. Julien
Colony, 1115.

Grey Mare, branded $\frac{1}{2}$ right hip, W
right shoulder, 14 years old, about 1200
lbs. Lost from vicinity of Fairview.

\$10.00 REWARD

For recovery of cattle branded D L
on left ribs, and horses branded D on
left ribs. Mrs. J. H. Chandler, Van-
derbilt, Alta.

Which are you going to have \$45 or \$82.50

IF you have \$100 in the Savings
Bank it will pay you 3 per
cent. interest, or in fifteen years,
\$45.00.

IF you take that money out of
the Savings Bank and invest
it in Victory Bonds, Canada will
pay you 5½ per cent. interest on
it, or in the same time, \$82.50

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Victory Bonds and get more interest

Issued by Canada's Victory Loan Committee
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In new quarters (opposite our old
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give you better service than ever
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Let us figure on your car overhaul-
ing this winter we can save you
money.

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You can eat any old time but there is
only one place where you can eat and
enjoy your meals and that is the

New Royal Cafe

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We have enlarged our staff and every-
thing is new, clean, and up-to-date.

You will enjoy every meal you have in
our new restaurant.

Best of Everything
Prices Moderate



Education in New World Era

The world upheaval occasioned by the Great War is having its effects not only upon politics and political institutions, finance, trade and commerce, and economics in general, but also upon all social and moral relations. While the great struggle was in progress, and the need for bringing every ounce of power and every item of resource to bear to achieve victory became more and more evident, people began to say that the old world would never again be the same. This, in fact, because a life saying, and many who made use of it hardly realized just how true it was and how great was the revolution taking place in the world, which was affecting every phase of individual, community, national and international life.

Remarkable and far-reaching as have been the changes brought about in political life and institutions—and here in Canada, where we have been beginning to realize just how great the change has been, and just beginning to get a glimpse of other and perhaps greater changes when seem impending—in finance, trade and commerce, in science and invention, the greatest change of all is taking place in the sphere of social relations.

The insistent demands of Labor for a new place in the social order; the almost world-wide sweep of the movement against the perpetuation of the legalized liquor traffic; the insistence upon greater attention being paid to the health and physical well-being of the people, more especially of the boys and girls—the need for which was so startlingly exposed by the examinations conducted by the army doctors in connection with the recruiting of the immense armies which modern war called for—these things are even more significant of the new era upon which the world has entered than are those which have to do with what in the past we have been taught to regard as the more material things.

And in the laying of the foundation for, and in the development of, this new social order, the most thoughtful men and women have to realize that no one institution will be called upon to play a larger or more important part than the public schools and higher institutions of learning throughout this and all other lands. In every progressive country today, education is receiving the serious attention of the most public-spirited and far-seeing statesmen and leaders in public life.

In Great Britain it has found expression in the most sweeping educational reforms of the last half century or more, and the appropriation of positively staggering sums of money, even at a time when the Old Land is faced with a tremendous national debt and taxation has reached heights hitherto undreamed of.

In Canada a general awakening in regard to matters educational is in evidence in almost every Province, and is most noticeable of all in the Provinces of the West and in old Quebec. The change which is taking place in the latter Province is, perhaps, most significant of all, and has in it all the elements that may lead to a closer union between Quebec and the other Provinces and

help to eliminate those causes of friction which in the past have so greatly retarded our national life.

One of the most promising movements so far as Canada is concerned was the convening of the recent National Conference on Character Education in Relation to Canadian Citizenship, which was held at Winnipeg, October 20-22, and which was attended by representative men and women in all walks of life from every Province of the Dominion, and to which inspiring and inspiring addresses were delivered, not only by prominent Canadians, but by leaders of thought from the United States and Great Britain.

So important does the writer of this column consider this great National Conference to have been at this stage in Canada's history, that he proposes to devote some space to its deliberations in future articles.

Very Accommodating

"How did you get on?" The sweet woman, beamed the words into her lover's many hair as he met him in the passage. He had been coming father, and she wanted to know how the rest of the day.

"Oh, your father is heartless!" said the young man indignantly. "I told him I could not live without you, and—"

"Yes, Yes!" impatiently. "What did he say?"

"He covertly offered to pay my funeral expenses!"

A little girling judiciously administered often makes a weak man strong.

"SYRUP OF FIGS"

CHILD'S LAXATIVE

Look at tongue! Remove poisons from little stomach, liver and bowels



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruit taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear. Mother! You must say "California."

New things to eat are being discovered daily—seemingly for the purpose of adding to the high cost of living.

Drives Asthma Before it. — The smoke or vapor from Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy gives asthma no chance to linger. It eradicates the cause. Our experience with this relieving remedy shows how accurate and positive is the succor it gives. It is the most long lasting and experiment, and was not submitted to the public until its makers knew it would do its work well.

Walked 95 Miles in One Day

One of the most remarkable pedestrianism ever known is probably Edward Payson Weston, who walked in one day from Philadelphia to New York, a distance of ninety-five miles.

He left the City Hall in Philadelphia at five minutes after midnight, and reached the City Hall in New York at 11:35 p.m. A year later he walked over the same route he had walked forty years before, beating his own previous time by many hours, and giving 1,300 miles in 24 days 20 hours. Of all the rivals an athlete has to face, the most difficult to overcome is his past self.

INSTANT POSTUM



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Keeps Baby's Skin Healthy

IF every mother could only realize the danger which lurks in the neglect of chafing and skin irritations she would not take chances on being without Dr. Chase's Ointment to apply after baby's bath.

It arrests the development of eczema and makes the skin soft, smooth and velvet.

40 cents a box, all druggists, or Edman & Co., Ltd., Toronto.

Dr. Chase's Ointment

For Soldier Settlers

School Lands in Manitoba and Saskatchewan Withheld

From Sale

Through the intervention of the Soldier Settlement board, school lands in Manitoba and Saskatchewan aggregating 43,000 acres have been withheld from sale by auction in order to be made available for settlement by returned soldiers. Arrangements have been completed to advertise these lands, 2,700 quarter sections in all, for sale by public auction this fall. The lands are situated in the Winnipeg, Brandon, Ashern and St. Rose de Lac districts in Manitoba, and the Canora, Wadena, Prince Albert and Wakarusa districts in Saskatchewan. They were selected because of the fact that in these districts crops this year were good and increased settlement is particularly desirable. The provincial governments concurred in the sale.

No child should be allowed to suffer an hour from worms when prompt relief can be got by the use of strong remedy. — Mother's Gravel Worm Exterminator.

At Swedish weddings, among the middle and lower classes, the bride groom carries a whip. This is an emblem of his authority in the domestic circle.

Our idea of a hopeless liar is a person who says he never makes mistakes.

NOTHING TO EQUAL BABY'S OWN TABLETS

Mrs. Alfred Naud, Natagan River, Que., writes:—"I do not think there is any other medicine to equal Baby's Own Tablets for little ones. I have used them for my baby and would use nothing else." What Mrs. Naud says thousands of other mothers say. They have found by trial that the Tablets always do just what is claimed for them. The Tablets are a mild but thorough cleansing which regulate the bowels and sweeten the stomach. They are safe for infants, constipation, colds, etc. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

In Russia, certain peasant costumes are trimmed with the skin of the turbot, and in Egypt men wear sandals made from the skins of fish caught in the Red Sea.

Minard's Lintiment Cures Dismeter.

British Strike Very Costly

The approximate cost of the recent railway strike to the British treasury was \$10,000,000 sterling, according to an announcement made by the Chancellor of the Exchequer in the House of Commons. The Chancellor added that the public expenditure against the strike cost the government more than \$32,000 sterling.

It is not natural that a man should get hot when others "roast" him.

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U.S. May Purchase British Airship

Two and a Half Million Dollars Appropriated by Congress for Purchase.

An early closing of the contract for the purchase by the navy department of the British rigid airship R38, the largest airship in the world, now under construction in England, is expected. It was stated at Washington, Tuesday, that a half-million dollars were appropriated by congress for the purchase of this airship.

"The success," said the statement, "of the British in building and operating rigid airships is proved by the triumph of the R38 to the United States and its return to England. While the Germans had years' start of the British, the latter have made wonderful progress in the last few years."

The R38 to outward appearances would look like the R34, but her dimensions—horsepower, speed and radius of action will be much greater. When full of gas, she will have a 224,000 cubic foot capacity, which is fifteen times that of the C5, the United States naval dirigible blown to sea and lost last spring at New Bedford, and is one of an attempt to cross the Atlantic.

"The R38 is 691 feet in length, 86 feet in diameter, 51 feet in height, and carries a useful load of 45 tons. She is expected to have a maximum speed of sixty knots."

"The British air ministry has offered to train personnel for the R38, that upon delivery the airship can be taken over immediately by a United States crew and flown to the U.S."

A woman who attempts to cook a dinner for her husband and is apt to make a mess of it.

SATISFYING RELIEF FROM LUMBAGO

Sloan's Liniment has the punch that relieves rheumatic twinges.

This warm-giving, congested-relieving, circulation-stimulating remedy penetrates without rubbing, soothes, loosens up, and gives quick relief, surely, cleanly. A wonderful help for external pains, sprains, strains, stiffness, headaches, lumbago, bruises.

It's a four-in-one, today—cures, little, means much. Ask your druggist for it by name. Keep it handy for the whole family. The big bottle is economy. 35c, 70c, \$1.40. Made in Canada.

Sloan's Liniment Keep it handy

Growing on the Manitoba Agricultural College grounds are a number of selected native seedling plum trees. These trees were in full bearing this year, and their crop has demonstrated very clearly that plums of good size and quality can be grown in Manitoba. From 50 to 100 pounds of fruit have been taken from each tree.

Corn Cannot resist when Holloway's Corn Cure is applied to them, because it goes to the root and kills the growth.

En Route From Siberia

Seven Hundred British Soldiers Due to Reach Vancouver Nov. 11.

Seven hundred British Soldiers now on the east coast from Vladivostok on the C.P.O.S. St. Montague will arrive in Vancouver on Armistice day, Nov. 11, and will be entertained during their brief stay by the Great War Veterans, the Imperial Veterans and the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Army and Navy.

These troops include men from several famous British regiments. They are veterans and have served for four and a half years. There are First Warwicks, Manchester, Gordon Highlanders and Darbans in the party. They will be in Montreal en route to England about Nov. 17.

To Utilize Tidal Power

In view of the shortage of British coal for export purposes, it is reported that French scientists and industrialists are endeavoring to supply power by harnessing the tides. For several years French scientists men have declared that this was no fantastic dream, and already considerable data on the subject have been collected. In order to apply these theories to the test of practice, a small scientific company has been formed to carry out experiments at Ploosman, on the Cotre du Nord.

What other men have done, you may do. Carlyle says: "He can who thinks he can." Emerson says: "Nobody can cheat you out of ultimate success but yourself."

Dominions Take New Status

Manchester Guardian Talks of Revolution in Unsettled British Constitution.

The Manchester Guardian is discussing the revolution which has taken place in the unwritten constitution of the British Empire, calls attention to the fact that the dominions are individual nations under the peace treaty and have separate voices in the League of Nations' council. This point, it says, is better realized in America than in Great Britain, as is shown in one of the proposed league resolutions in the American senate that on any issue in which the British Empire, or any dominion, is involved, the British Empire suffrage be restricted to one vote.

The Guardian thinks this proposal will not result and acceptance in the dominions and says Sir Robert Borden's recent insistence on the right of the Canadian parliament to debate the ratification of the peace treaty is symptomatic of the increasing determination of the dominions to assert individuality. If the league is not to meet with embarrassments it is essential that the new status of the dominions be fully considered and regularized, the Guardian concludes.

The price paid for a credit is lush money.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited, Gentlemen,—I have used MINARD'S LINIMENT on my vessel and in my family for years, and for the cure of my life and accidents of the day. I would not start on a voyage without it if it cost a dollar a bottle.

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Wouldn't Work

Bank: It is possible to cut some people by ignoring them completely. Plank: I wish I could cut my lawn that way.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

The total annual earnings of the express companies operating in Canada are seventeen million dollars. The net earnings are about nine hundred thousand dollars.

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Not Aspirin at All without the "Bayer Cross"



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Always buy an unbroken package of "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" which will also larger "Bayer" packages.

There is only one Aspirin—Bayer. You must say "Bayer" Aspirin in the trade mark (registered in Canada) of Bayer Manufacturing of Monocarbonyl of acetylsalicylic acid, which is Aspirin. In some cases, this word may be imitated, but the Tablets of Bayer Company will be stamped with their famous Bayer mark, the "Bayer Cross."

There's Nothing Like

Sam-Buk's soothing and healing power. Sam-Buk has been used for generations and has been found to be the most effective remedy for all kinds of skin troubles.

For eczema and skin troubles of all kinds Sam-Buk has no equal. Also for old sores, ulcers, abscesses, boils, pimples, blood-poisoning, cuts, burns, bruises and scalds. All dealers of Sam-Buk Co., Toronto, Box 1, 3 for 1 cent.

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Danger—Colds—and more serious conditions. CONTRAINDICATED in Influenza.

GRAY'S SYRUP RED SPRUCE GUM

from the first spruce of growth. It is the only one that does not contain any harmful ingredients. It is the only one that is pure and natural. It is the only one that is safe for all ages.

Manufactured by Dr. Watson & Co., New York.

Cooperative Exchange Plan

With the view to enabling those with farm produce to dispose of it to best advantage, the Saskatchewan Provincial Department of Agriculture has established a cooperative exchange, the idea being that cooperative associations in the province where there is a surplus of potatoes and like produce should supply to districts where there is a scarcity.

Through lack of information farmers with produce to sell frequently export it from the province in ignorance of the fact that better prices could be obtained from other Saskatchewan districts. The exchange plans to bring the buyers and sellers together and act as a clearing house.



Ask Your Druggist For Dr. Miles' Calendar For 1920

IT is FREE and the best large-figure calendar published. It gives the weather forecast for each day in the year, also time of Sunrise and Sunset and phases of the Moon. "An exceptionally complete and useful Calendar." That's what everybody says. The edition is limited. It is therefore very important that you call early to make sure you get this splendid free Calendar at the beginning of the year.

Ask Your Druggist For Dr. Miles' Calendar For 1920

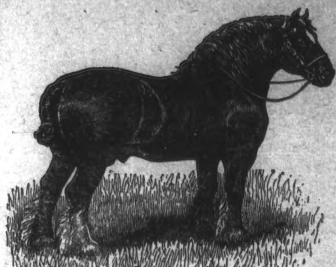
Just go to your druggist, tell him your name and address, and that you want Dr. Miles' 1920 Calendar. He will do the rest—FREE.

Hardware

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Give Your Horses A Footing



Calked Shoes are to a horse what a pair of chains is to a car.

We have neverslip Horse Shoes as follows

No 3 Calked Set of 4 \$1.90 No 4 Calked Set of 4 \$2.20
No 5 Calked Set of 4 \$2.50 No 6 Calked Set of 4 \$2.75

Without Calks at 18¢ per lb.

Common shoes designed with a bevel on the inner side which prevents snow balling on the horses feet.

Horse shoe nails No., 5 & 6. 30c per lb. Horse shoe nails No., 7, 8 & 10. 25c per lb.
Horse Blankets \$4.25 to \$6.00 each.

NEEDS OF THE MOMENT

Stoves and Heaters. Coal-scuttles and Stove Boards.
Stock Troughs and Tank Heaters Weatherstrip and Draftite.



Rifles
Shotguns
Traps

1 3/4 H. P. Engine. \$92.00

We are making a special price on Electriclight Globes in lots of five or multiple thereof. 25, 40, 50 and 100 watt lamps in stock. Electric Irons with cord and plug. \$6.50 each.

Double Geared Pump Jack. \$14.00

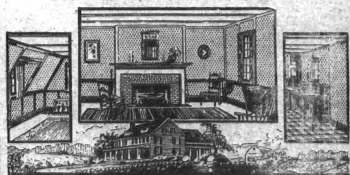
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WAKE UP, BASSANO!

We shall be disgraced if we don't get a flag

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FOR BETTER WALLS & CEILINGS

Build More Comfort into the Farm Home

Your farming success entitles you to more home comforts and conveniences. That's what a man works for, after all, so why not have these good things now?

Why let the home get run down just at the time when you should enjoy it most? First, remove the old, cracked, tumbledown walls and ceilings by covering them all with Beaver Board. It will make new rooms of the old ones.

This done, you'll feel like tackling other things because building new rooms with these large, board-like panels is so easy. You can do the whole thing yourself.



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Local and Personal.

J. B. Prentice left town on Thursday. Requested in post, and we also.

Mayor and Mrs. Bredin were present at the meeting of Victory Loan Workers held in Calgary on Saturday which was addressed by Sir Henry Drayton.

Robert McLean was a visitor to Calgary over the weekend, returning in time for Chautauque, for which he is an enthusiastic booster.

It seemed kind of natural to find Tommie Sutherland rambling round town again this week, and we hope soon to welcome a few more of our old Marjoville friends.

The Ladies Altar Society is holding its Annual Sale of Work and Home Cooking on Saturday, November 8th in the old White Lunch Cafe. Afternoon tea will be served from 3 to 5 p.m.

Owing to the absence of A. G. Boud, J. B. Prentice and Jack Allan, the last meeting of the Hospital Trustees was a very unimpressive one.

A number of our farmers are beginning to prune their fashers preparatory to their annual flight to the States for winter. These migratory birds might be persuaded to stay in Bassano if we could offer them something worth staying for during the winter months.

The Indians have never been as popular as during that last week when some of our townspeople walked miles to meet them and incidentally sink a load of coal.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian Church will hold their Annual Chicken Supper in the Church on Wednesday, November 12th from 6 to 8 o'clock. Price 75¢. Everyone is assured of a splendid meal, so come in and enjoy the good things provided.

Mrs. A. MacMillan of Vancouver, B.C., is visiting with her daughter Mrs. T. S. Fison.

Considering that George Hoodley, Duncan Marshall, Charlie Stewart, Charlie Mitchell, oh yes—and Ed. Purcell—are all farmers we have the nucleus of a first-class executive for the new farmers' government, right to hand.

Mrs. R. P. Robinson, is expecting her sister and brother-in-law, Major and Mrs. F. H. Cory, out on a visit in the spring. Major Cory is the son of Sir Herbert and Lady Cory of Cardiff, Wales, and London, England. It is more than probable that he will buy a large ranch before he leaves for England again.

The "Roughnecks," under whose guarantee Chautauque was brought to Bassano, desire to thank those highbrows who so condescendingly patronized, and appeared to thoroughly enjoy, the Concerts.

Official information has been given to the bank managers to advance loans for Victory Bonds over and above their customers line of credit, interest for which may not be charged over 6 1/2%. This leaves little excuse for the farmer to refrain from investing and also proves the faith of the banks in the stability of the farmers.

A very enjoyable juvenile Masquerade Party was held on Halloween at Mrs. Gray's residence. Upwards of 25 guests were present, all in costume, and a most enjoyable evening was spent.

A large number of farmers are making arrangements to buy Victory Bonds on the terms of the announcement made last week.

Bassano is still tagging along in the rear of all Victory Loan districts in Southern Alberta, and seems ridiculously content with its location.

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